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New claims 1, 3, 6 and 7

1. A compound of the formula (I)

$$z - N - C - C - N - C - V$$

formula (Ia)

formula (Ib)

in which

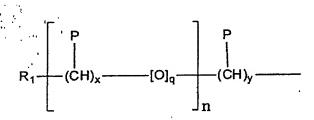
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the residues V, W, X and Z are in each case, independently of each other, a hydrocarbon residue which can contain heteroatoms and/or V, W and/or X is/are hydrogen, characterized in that at least one of the residues V, W, X and/or Z carries a binding group Y and in that the residues V, W, X and Z together exhibit at least one group of the formula (II)



formula (II)

in which

P is, on each occasion independently, H, OH, $O-R_2$.

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or $CO-R_3$,

 R_1 is H or a hydrocarbon residue which has from 1 to 50 carbon atoms and which can contain heteroatoms,

 R_2 is, on each occasion independently, a hydrocarbon residue having from 1 to 6 C atoms, R_3 is OH or NR_4R_5 ,

 R_4 and R_5 are, in each case independently, H or a hydrocarbon residue which can contain heteroatoms, where R_4 and R_5 can also together form a ring system,

n is, on each occasion independently, an integer of from 3 to 1000, and

 ${\bf x}$ is, on each occasion, an integer of from 1 to 10, and

y is an integer of from 0 to 50, and q is, on each occasion, 1.

- 2. A compound as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that the binding group Y is selected from groups which are able to bind to an amino group, a thiol group, a carboxyl group, a guanidine group, a carbonyl group, a hydroxyl group, a heterocycle, a C-nucleophilic group, a C-electrophilic group, a phosphate or a sulfate, or are able to form a chelate or a complex with metals or are able to bond to silicon-containing surfaces.
- 3. A compound as claimed in claims 1 and 2, 30 characterized in that it contains at least three groups of the formula (II).
- 4. A compound as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that at least one of the residues X and/or Z is branched and contains at least two groups of the formula (II).

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- 5. A compound as claimed in one of the preceding claims, characterized in that at least one of the residues X and/or Z additionally possesses a targeting group.
- 6. A compound having the formula (XIV)

in which

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10 h and i are, on each occasion independently, 0 or 1,

g and f are, on each occasion independently, an integer between 0 and 10, preferably between 0 and 5,

A is, on each occasion, H or $-(CO)-NX_2$, and X_1 , X_2 , X_3 and X_4 , and also X, have, in each case independently of each other, the meanings given above for X, where the compound exhibits at least two groups of the formula (II)

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in which

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 R_4 and R_5 are, in each case independently, H or a hydrocarbon residue which can contain heteroatoms, where R_4 and R_5 can also together form a ring system,

n is, on each occasion independently, an integer of from 3 to 1000 and

15 x is, on each occasion, an integer of from 1 to 10, and

y is an integer of from 0 to 50, and q is, on each occasion, 1.

20 7. A method for preparing a compound as claimed in one of claims 1 to 6, characterized in that the compounds of the formulae

 $X'-NH_2$ (IV)

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 $(W')_2C=O \qquad (V)$

Z'-NC

30 (VI)

and

V'-COOH (VII)

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are reacted with each other, as starting 24/03/2005

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compounds, in a multicomponent reaction, where V', W', X' and Z' are, in each case independently of each other, a hydrocarbon residue which can optionally contain heteroatoms and/or V', W' and/or X' are hydrogen, where at least one of the residues V', W', X' and Z' carries a binding group Y and where the residues V', W', X' and Z' together possess at least two groups of the formula (II)

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 R_2 is, on each occasion independently, a hydrocarbon residue having from 1 to 6 C atoms, R_3 is OH or NR_4R_5 ,

 R_4 and R_5 are, in each case independently, H or a hydrocarbon residue which can contain heteroatoms, where R_4 and R_5 can together also form a ring system,

n is, on each occasion independently, an integer of from 3 to 1000, and

 ${\bf x}$ is, on each occasion, an integer of from 1 to 10, and

y is an integer of from 0 to 50, and q is, on each occasion, 1.

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8. The method as claimed in claim 7, characterized in that at least one of the residues V', W', X' and/or Z' contains at least one further functionality selected from NH₂, C=O, NC and/or COOH.

- A conjugate which comprises a compound of the formula (I), as defined in one of claims 1 to 6,
 which is covalently bonded to a biopharmaceutical, pharmaceutical and/or synthetic active compound.
- 10. A conjugate which comprises a compound of the formula (I), as defined in one of claims 1 to 6,15 which is covalently bonded to a surface and/or a biocatalyst.
- 11. A conjugate which comprises a compound of the formula (I), as defined in one of claims 1 to 6,20 which is covalently bonded to an enzyme.
 - 12. A conjugate which comprises a compound of the formula (I), as defined in one of claims 1 to 6, which is covalently bonded to medicinal products or adjuvants for administering active compounds.
 - 13. A pharmaceutical composition which comprises a compound as claimed in one of claims 1 to 6 or a conjugate as claimed in claim 9 or 11.
 - 14. A diagnostic composition which comprises a compound as claimed in one of claims 1 to 6 or a conjugate as claimed in claim 9 or 10.
- 35 15. The use of a conjugate as claimed in claim 9 for producing a pharmaceutical for treating cancer or 24/03/2005

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coronary diseases, metabolic diseases, neuronal or cerebral diseases, e.g. Alzheimer's or Parkinson's, or inflammatory processes, e.g. infections, and immune or autoimmune diseases, in particular rheumatoid arthritis.

- 16. A method for preparing a substance library, characterized in that at least two different compounds as claimed in claim 1 are prepared using the method as claimed in claim 7 or 8.
 - 17. A substance library which comprises at least two different compounds of the formula (I), as defined in one of claims 1 to 6.

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- 18. A kit which comprises
 - (a) at least one compound as claimed in one of claims 1 to 6 and also
 - (b) buffer solutions and, where appropriate,
 - (c) standard proteins and/or means for purifying conjugates which have been formed together with the compound from (a).